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SUBJ: CALL ON SYG WALDHEIM ON JOINT APPROACH TO SOUTH

AFRICA ON NAMIBIA

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1. AS PER INSTRUCTION, AMB SCALI, FRENCH REP DE GUIRINGAUD AND UK REP RICHARD CALLED JOINTLY ON SYG WALDHEIM APRIL 24 TO ADVISE HIM OF THREE POWER DEMARCHE TO SAG RE NAMIBIA. WALDHEIM SAID HE WAS DELIGHTED AT THREE POWER ACTION AND SAID IT SHLD IMPROVE ATMOSPHERE OF THE SC DEBATE WHICH HE EXPECTS TO BEGIN MAY 30 AND EXTEND ONE WEEK. IN ANSWER TO HIS QUESTION, WE TOLD HIM IT WAS TOO EARLY TO KNOW REACTION OF SAG.

2. SYG WALDHEIM AGREED TO KEEP OUR JOINT VISIT CONFIDENTIAL BUT ACCEPTED IDEA OF BRIEF PROPOSED ONE PARA STATEMENT IN ANSWER TO ANY PRESS QUERIES. HE WILL AUTHORIZE UN CONFIDENTIAL

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SPOKESMAN TO ONLY SAY THREE AMBS CALLED TO DISCUSS NAMIBIA.

RICHARD, DE GUIRINGAUD AND I AGREED OUR GOVS WOULD USE SUGGESTED
FOLLOW-UP COMMENTS IN ANSWER TO PRESS INQUIRIES INSTEAD
OF LEAVING IT TO WALDHEIM TO ELABORATE.
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